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The Organization of the Executive Departments of the Government of the United States.

STATE DEPARTMENT.
The whole machinery employed to conduct the business arising out of the relations of the United States to other nations is under the management of the State Department. The number employed in the Department of State is only seven, as follows:
Secretary of State, (Hon. John Sherman), one chief clerk, twelve clerks, one translator, one stenographer, and one librarian.

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VOLUME XIII.

"LIBERTY, THE UNION, AND THE CONSTITUTION."

CITY OF WASHINGTON, SATURDAY MORNING, AUGUST 29, 1857.

OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF WASHINGTON.

Mayor.—Wm. B. Magruder.
Register.—Wm. Morgan.
Corporation Attorney.—James M. Carlisle.
Tax Clerk.—William Q. Donohoo.
Book-keeper.—Edwin J. Klopfer.
Messenger.—William Q. Donohoo.
Collector.—James F. Halliday. Clerks—William Cooper and Beuben Cleary.
Surveyor.—Wm. Forsyth.

FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

Philip C. Davis, M. D., and J. B. H. Smith, First ward.
Robert K. Stone, M. D., and Charles L. Colman, Second ward.
William M. Berry, M. D., and Joseph Bryan, Third ward.
William P. Johnston, M. D., and James Lawrence, Fourth ward.
J. B. Gardner, M. D., and J. P. Ingles, Fifth ward.
F. S. Walsh, M. D., and John D. Brandt, Sixth ward.
James E. Morgan, M. D., and George Mattingly, Seventh ward.

APOTHECARIES TO FURNISH MEDICINE TO THE POOR.

First ward.—David G. Ridgely.
Second ward.—D. S. Dyson.
Third ward.—Valentine Harbaugh.
Fourth ward.—John M. Clark.
Fifth ward.—J. B. Gardner.
Sixth ward.—James O'Donnell.
Seventh ward.—D. B. Clarke.

PHYSICIANS TO THE POOR.

First ward.—Philip C. Davis, M. D.
Second ward.—J. W. H. Lovejoy, M. D.
Third ward.—George M. Dale, M. D.
Fourth ward.—John M. Toner, M. D.
Fifth ward.—J. M. Grymes, M. D.
Sixth ward.—John M. Roberts, M. D.
Seventh ward.—J. E. Willett, M. D.
Commissioner of Health.—Charles F. Force, M. D.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

1st ward.—William T. Dove and George W. Riggs.
2d—Wm. F. Bayly (president) and Thos. Miller.
3d—French S. Evans and Thos. Donohoo.
4th—William W. Moore and John H. Goddard.
5th—John H. Houston and Edmund Barry.
6th—John H. Houston and Edmund Barry.
7th—Peter M. Pearson and John L. Smith.
Secretary.—E. J. Middleton.
Messenger.—Jacob Kleiber.

BOARD OF COMMON COUNCIL.

1st ward.—Charles Albert, (president), John B. Turton, and Robert E. Waters.
2d—Thomas J. Fisher, William Orme, and Ferdinand Jefferson.
3d—Lambert Tree, Joseph F. Brown, and Christopher O'Hara.
4th—Richard H. Clarke, James A. Kennedy, and Elijah Edmondson.
5th—Edward F. French, William A. Mulloy, and William F. Wallace.
6th—James A. Gordon, William E. Hutchinson, and James Cranford.
7th—Thomas A. Gordon, Robert T. Knight, and Charles A. Polton.
Secretary.—William A. Kennedy.
Messenger.—William Q. Locke.

COMMISSIONERS OF IMPROVEMENTS.

First district.—Joseph B. Rawlins.
Second district.—Rich. E. Owens.
Third district.—Stephen Coster.
Fourth district.—James Espey.

Intendant of the Asylum.—John R. Queen. Commissioners—George W. Emerson, George Mattingly, and Jacob Giddon. Secretary to board commissioners—John H. Norton.

Physician to the Asylum.—W. M. Berry, M. D.

Commissioner of the eastern section of canal.—Joseph Cross.

Commissioner of the western section of canal.—Wm. Wise.

Scaler of weights and measures.—Hiram Richey.

Inspector of fire apparatus.—John W. Martin.

CLERKS AND COMMISSIONERS OF MARKETS.

Centre.—Clerk—John Waters; assistant, Joseph Lyons. Commissioners—Stephen P. Franklin, Wm. Orme, and Hudson Taylor.
Eastern.—Clerk, Michael Connor; commissioners, Francis Jenkins and George W. Johnson.
Western.—Clerk, Wm. D. Serrin; commissioners, Wm. H. Walker and Solomon Stover.
Northern.—Clerk, George D. Spencer; commissioners, George H. Jones and James F. Devine.

Commissioners of West Burial Ground.—Joseph Borrows and Wm. Wilson. August Miller, sexton.

Commissioners of East Burial Ground.—John D. Brandt and George W. Oyster. John O'Neale, sexton.

FOR INSPECTORS AND MEASURES OF LENGTH.

Peter Gallant, Wm. Douglas, Samuel B. Beyer, and Wm. Dunnawin.

WOOD AND OIL MEASURES.

Thomas W. Osgood, Joseph Z. Williams, Samuel C. Mickum, Richard Wimsatt, and John Cumberland.

MEASURES OF GRAIN, IRON, ETC.

First district.—John Wilson.
Second district.—Joseph Z. Williams.
Inspector of flour and salted provisions.—Joseph Lyons.

ASSESSORS.

1st district.—William Riggles.
2d—John T. Stewart.
3d—J. M. Downing.
4th—William Douglas.
5th—R. F. Dyre.
6th—Edward Wayson.
7th—John H. Bird.
Scavengers and sweeps not yet nominated.

NOTICE MAGISTRATES.

Samuel Drury, first district.
John D. Clark, second district.
Daniel Smith, third district.
Thomas C. Donn, fourth district.
Patrick McKenna, fifth district.
James Oull, sixth district.
Daniel Rowland, seventh district.
Chief of Police.—F. A. Klopfer.

POLICE CONSTABLES.

Wm. Daw and John T. May, first district.
William H. Fanning and Joseph Williamson, second district.
James H. Suit and W. L. Ross, third district.
Edward McKenna, Henry Yeatman, and B. T. Watson, fourth district.
H. C. Harrover, E. C. Gardner, and R. Collins, fifth district.
Thos. H. Robinson and Francis S. Edlin, sixth district.
John M. Lloyd and Joseph A. Gill, seventh district.

Episcopal High School, of Virginia.

AT BOARD, ON THE 20TH.
Three Miles West of Alexandria.
REV. JOHN P. MCGUIRE, RECTOR.
THE seventeenth session of this institution will commence on Wednesday, the 20th of September next.
Terms: \$250 for board, tuition, lights, fuel, mending, &c., payable semi-annually in advance.
Modern languages, music, and drawing are extra charges.
Pupils continue the course of study, government, terms, &c., sent to those who request them.
REV. JOHN P. MCGUIRE, RECTOR.
Theological Seminary, Post Office, Fairfax county, Virginia.
July 18th—Jan 10th.

George C. Thomas.

Commissioner of Deeds for all the States.

NOTARY PUBLIC.

July 18th—Jan 10th.

REDEMPTION OF VIRGINIA FIVE PER CENT. STOCK.

THE holders of the following certificates of debt issued by the State of Virginia will take notice that the "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund" will proceed on the 1st day of October, 1857, to redeem the said certificates at the treasury of the Commonwealth. The holders of said certificates are required on the said 1st day of October, 1857, to surrender the same at the office of the second assistant, whether surrendered or not, the interest thereon will cease on that day.

1. Outstanding passed 12th February, 1855, entitled "An act making further provision to carry into effect the act entitled 'An act for clearing the title to the land of James and Kanawha rivers, and for other purposes.'"

1855, April 1—19, Daring, Brothers & Co., of London, in the name of the State of Virginia, \$5,000 00

1855, June 18—21, Rev. Robert Triffin, of Jordan, in the name of the State of Virginia, \$5,000 00

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